

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 418

By Stewart

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Wasavat Kruechalee,
2009 Valedictorian of Coffee County Central
High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Wasavat Kruechalee is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2009 graduating class at Coffee County Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Kruechalee has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Wasavat has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average along with numerous awards and accolades, including the Presidential Education Award and distinction for Perfect Attendance every year at Coffee County Central; in each of his four years of high school, he won two different National Honor Roll Awards: one for Outstanding Achievement in Scholastic Excellence and another for Superior School and Community Achievement; and

WHEREAS, in addition, Mr. Kruechalee won two different National Society of High School Scholar Awards: all four years, he received the Award for Academic Achievement and Excellence, and the Society awarded him its Gold Medal as well; and

WHEREAS, in the last three years, he has won the Raider Renaissance Award, and as a junior he received an ASM Materials Education Foundation Summer Camp Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Wasavat attended the National Young Leaders and the LEADAmerica Leadership Conferences his junior year as well; and

WHEREAS, a talented musician as well as an accomplished scholar, Wasavat Kruechalee has taken guitar lessons for most of his high school years, and he has used his musical abilities to help several school organizations and charities raise money; and

WHEREAS, his display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Kruechalee's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, George Umbach and Supranee Umbach, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Wasavat's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Coffee County Central High School Valedictorian, Wasavat Kruechalee, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.